CHAPTER NO. 140

HOUSE BILL NO. 3396

By Representatives Mumpower, Godsey, Westmoreland

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3391

By Senator Ramsey

AN ACT to amend Chapter 349 of the Private Acts of 1947, as amended by Chapter 40 of the Private Acts of 1973, Chapter 234 of the Private Acts of 1978, Chapter 34 of the Private Acts of 1997, Chapter 35 of the Private Acts of 1997, and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the General Sessions Court of Sullivan County.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 349 of the Private Acts of 1947, as amended by Chapter 40 of the Private Acts of 1973, Chapter 234 of the Private Acts of 1978, Chapter 34 of the Private Acts of 1997, Chapter 35 of the Private Acts of 1997, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended in Section 17 by deleting the language "civil district" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "voting precinct".

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the county Legislative Body of Sullivan County. Its approval or non-approval shall be proclaimed by the Presiding Officer of the county Legislative Body of Sullivan County and certified to the Secretary of State.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective upon being approved as provided in Section 2.

PASSED: April 2, 1998

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

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APPROVED this 16th day of April 1998